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Applicant : A. Rieder  
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flow rate and/or mass flow rate of a medium to be ...  
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Sir:

This submission is being made pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.56. A listing of the references is submitted herewith on form PTO/SB/08A. The cited references were cited during the corresponding European prosecution.

This submission is being made after the mailing date of the Notice of Allowance but before payment of the Issue Fee.

The cited references, like the other references of record do not teach a device for determining and/or monitoring volume, and/or mass flow of a medium to be measured which includes the ring-shaped membrane and the oscillatable unit as claimed.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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